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TO AMEMBASSY ROME IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY RABAT

AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG

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ABIDJAN FOR RSO, LUXEMBOURG FOR MOOSE

E.O. 11652:NA

TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, LILLIAN)

SUBJECT: MISS LILLIAN'S ITALY ITINERARY

1. TOGETHER WITH THE WHITE HOUSE, DEPT. HAS ESTABLISHED
THE FOLLOWING ITINERARY FOR MISS LILLIAN'S VISIT TO ITALY.
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IN EVENT EMBASSY IS PREPARING OWN SCHEDULE FOR INTERNAL
USE OR FOR DISTRIBUTION TO MISS LILLIAN'S PARTY UPON AR-
RIVAL, IT SHOULD CONFORM ENTIRELY TO TEXT BELOW. PLEASE
RESPOND BY PRIORITY CABLE COB JULY 14 TO DEPT. QUERIES
WHICH FOLLOW ITINERARY TEXT. POST COMMENTS, IF ANY, SHOULD
ALSO BE RECEIVED BY THAT TIME. THROUGHOUT ITINERARY QUOTE
ENTIRE PARTY END QUOTE REFERS TO ALL INDIVIDUALS ACCOMPANY-

ING MISS LILLIAN, INCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE PRESS TRAVELING WITH HER. A LIST OF INDIVIDUALS ACCOMPANYING MISS LILLIAN WILL FOLLOW BY SEPTTEL.

2. BEGIN TEXT: THURSDAY, JULY 20:

-- 1450 - ARRIVE ROME (FIUMICINO AIRPORT) VIA TWA 848 FROM PARIS. AMBASSADOR GARDNER, FAO AND ITALIAN PROTOCOL OFFICIALS WILL MEET. SHORT STATEMENT TO PRESS (ITALIAN NATIONAL AND PRIVATE TV FILM CREWS, ITALIAN WIRE SERVICE

REPRESENTATIVES AND OTHER ITALIAN AND U.S. JOURNALISTS WILL BE PRESENT). MISS LILLIAN AND OTHER GUESTS AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE (VILLA TAVERNA) DEPART FOR CHANCERY VIA MOTORCADE. OTHERS DEPART FOR HOTEL EXCELSIOR IN EMBASSY CARS.

-- 1550 - MISS LILLIAN ARRIVES CHANCERY AND GREETES ASSEMBLED EMBASSY STAFF.

-- 1600 - MISS LILLIAN AND PARTY DEPART CHANCERY FOR VILLA TAVERNA -- REMAINDER OF PARTY ARRIVES HOTEL EXCELSIOR.

-- 1610 - MISS LILLIAN AND OFFICIAL PARTY ARRIVE VILLA TAVERNA. REMAINDER OF AFTERNOON FREE.

-- 1845 - OTHER MEMBERS OF PARTY DEPART HOTEL EXCELSIOR FOR VILLA TAVERNA.

-- 1900 - BRIEFING FOR ENTIRE PARTY BY AMBASSADOR
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GARDNER AT RESIDENCE.

-- 2010 - OFFICIAL PARTY DEPARTS VILLA TAVERNA FOR DINNER.

-- 2030 - DINNER HOSTED BY ITALIAN MINISTER. (DRESS IS DARK SUIT/LONG DRESS.)

FRIDAY, JULY 21:

-- 0900 - INTERVIEW WITH MAJOR ITALIAN NEWSPAPER OR MAGAZINE AT VILLA TAVERNA.

-- 1015 - ENTIRE PARTY DEPARTS HOTEL EXCELSIOR FOR FAO. ON ARRIVAL PARTY WILL BE ESCORTED DIRECTLY TO SEATS IN RED ROOM.

-- 1040 - MISS LILLIAN AND OTHER VILLA TAVERNA GUESTS DEPART FOR FAO.

-- 1100 - MISS LILLIAN AND ENTIRE PARTY ARRIVE FAO, ARE GREETED BY FAO DIRECTOR GENERAL EDOUARD SAOUMA, AND ESCORTED BY HIM TO THE RED ROOM.

-- 1105 - CEREMONY FOR PRESENTATION OF CERES MEDAL. RED ROOM, CAPACITY 300 PEOPLE, WILL BE FILLED WITH AMBASSADORS TO ITALY, FAO PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES, SENIOR FAO AND UN OFFICIALS, SELECTED U.S. EMPLOYEES OF FAO, AS WELL AS MISS LILLIAN'S ENTIRE PARTY. SAOUMA PLANS BRIEF REMARKS (LESS THAN 10 MINUTES). AFTER RECEIVING AWARD, MISS LILLIAN MAKES BRIEF ADDRESS. PRESS (TV AND PRINT) WILL BE INVITED TO CEREMONY. (DRESS: DRESS WITH SLEEVES/DARK SUIT.)

1130 - CEREMONY CONCLUDES. MISS LILLIAN AND ENTIRE PARTY ARE ESCORTED BY SAOUMA TO POLISH ROOM FOR CHAMPAGNE RECEPTION. SELECTED PHOTOGRAPHERS WILL BE ONLY PRESS AT RECEPTION.

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-- 1245 - SAOUMA ESCORTS MISS LILLIAN AND APPROXIMATELY 20 LUNCHEON GUESTS TO MOHAMMED V ROOM FOR LUNCHEON WITH 6 SENIOR FAO OFFICIALS. POSSIBLE LUNCHEON FOR SPOUSES AND OTHER OFFICIAL PARTY MEMBERS AT ROMAN RESTAURANT. PARTICIPANTS IN FAO LUNCHEON INCLUDE: MISS LILLIAN, RICHARD HARDEN, AMB. GARDNER, MRS. GARDNER, JOHN BAKER, IRVING ROSENTHAL, ASS'T. SEC'Y MOOSE, C. PAYNE LUCAS. DEPARTMENT ALSO SUGGESTS MRS. MOOSE ATTEND, IN ADDITION TO THREE EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS.

-- 1430 - LUNCHEON IN MOHAMMED V ROOM CONCLUDES. SAOUMA ESCORTS MISS LILLIAN AND PARTY FOR BRIEF STROLL ON TERRACE.

-- 1500 - MISS LILLIAN AND INTERESTED MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL PARTY DEPART FAO FOR VATICAN.

-- OPTIONAL BRIEFING AT FAO ON SAHEL ISSUES FOR INTERESTED MEMBERS.

-- 1520 - MISS LILLIAN ARRIVES VATICAN.

-- 1530 - VISIT TO SISTINE CHAPEL.

-- 1600 - VISIT TO SISTINE CHAPEL CONCLUDES.

-- 1610 - MOTORCADE DEPARTS FOR VILLA TAVERNA/HOTEL EXCELSIOR.

-- 1630 - ARRIVE VILLA TAVERNA/HOTEL EXCELSIOR.

-- 2030 - DINNER IN HONOR OF MISS LILLIAN HOSTED BY AMB. GARDNER. THE APPROXIMATELY 50 GUESTS WILL INCLUDE DIRECTOR GENERAL SAOUMA, OTHERS FROM FOOD ORGANIZATIONS AND LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DISTINGUISHED ITALIANS. (DRESS: LONG DRESS/DARK SUIT.)
DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDS THAT AS MANY AS POSSIBLE OF THE
FOLLOWING BE INCLUDED IN ADDITION TO MISS LILLIAN: RICHARD
HARDEN, MRS. HARDEN, ASST. SEC. MOOSE, MRS. MOOSE, MR.
SALAZAR, ARVONNE FRASER, WILBERT PETTY, HEIDI HANSON,
B. SALTER, AND C. PAYNE LUCAS.

SATURDAY, JULY 22:

-- 0845 - MISS LILLIAN DEPART VILLA TAVERNA.

-- 0900 - ARRIVAL RAT CHANNEL 1 STUDIO FOR TV INTERVIEW.

-- 1000 - DEPART TV STUDIO EITHER FOR SIGHTSEEING OR

RETURN TO VILLA TAVERNA AND INTERVIEWS WITH AMERICAN
JOURNALISTS. NOTE: MORNING WOULD BE FREE FOR REMAINDER
OF PARTY.

-- AFTERNOON AT REST.

-- 1900 - RECEPTION HOSTED BY AMB. GARDNER FOR ENTIRE PARTY
IN HONOR OF MISS LILLIAN FOR ITALIAN LEADERS, TOP LEVEL
OFFICIALS, REPRESENTATIVES OF AMERICAN COMMUNITY, AND
STUDENTS. (DRESS: LONG DRESS/DARK SUIT.)

-- 2100 - RECEPTION CONCLUDES.

SUNDAY, JULY 23:

-- 0930 - MEMBERS OF PARTY STAYING AT HOTEL EXCELSIOR
LEAVE FOR POPE'S SUMMER RESIDENCE, CASTEL GANDOLFO.
(DRESS WOMEN SHOULD WEAR MANTILLAS AND DARK-COLORED CONSER-
VATIVE DRESSES WITH SLEEVES.)

-- 0945 - MISS LILLIAN AND OTHER VILLA TAVERNA GUESTS
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LEAVE FOR CASTEL GANDOLFO.

-- 1030 - ARRIVAL AT CASTEL GANDOLFO. TOUR OF GARDENS AND
PAPAL FARM.

-- 1130 - TOUR CONCLUDES. MISS LILLIAN AND AMB. GARDNER
PROCEED TO AUDIENCE ROOM. REMAINDER OF PARTY PROCEEDS TO

PAPAL PALACE SQUARE TO WITNESS PAPAL BLESSING OF PILGRIMS.

-- 1200 - PAPAL BLESSING.

-- 1215 - PRIVATE AUDIENCE FOR MISS LILLIAN AND AMB.
GARDNER WITH HIS HOLINESS POPE PAUL VI BEGINS.

-- REMAINDER OF PARTY DEPARTS FOR CIAMPINO AIRPORT.

-- 1245 - REMAINDER OF PARTY ARRIVES CIAMPINO AND BOARDS
USAF AIRCRAFT AFTER COFFEE IN VIP LOUNGE.

-- 1300 - PAPAL AUDIENCE CONCLUDES.

-- 1350 - MISS LILLIAN DEPARTS FOR CIAMPINO AIRPORT.

-- 1320 - MISS LILLIAN ARRIVES CIAMPINO. BRIEF, INFORMAL
FAREWELL.

-- 1330 - WHEELS UP FOR RABAT. (TWO AND THREE-QUARTER HR.
FLIGHT; ONE HOUR TIME CHANGE.)

3. DEPARTMENT IS URGENTLY AWAITING YOUR PROPOSED TOAST
FOR MISS LILLIAN WITH ITALIAN MINISTER JULY 20. PLEASE
CABLE IMMEDIATELY.

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4. WHICH MEMBERS OF MISS LILLIAN'S PARTY WILL BE LODGED
AT VILLA TAVERNA?

5. HOW MANY MEMBERS OF PARTY ARE INVITED TO DINNER
HOSTED BY ITALIAN MINISTER JULY 20?

6. IS THERE A LIMITATION ON HOW MANY MEMBERS OF PARTY
ARE TO VISIT VATICAN CITY/SISTINE CHAPEL JULY 21?

7. WHAT MEMBERS OF PARTY ARE INVITED TO DINNER HOSTED
BY AMBASSADOR GARDNER JULY 21?

8. HOW MANY ITALIAN LANGUAGE COPIES OF "WHY NOT
THE BEST" ARE AVAILABLE AT POST?

9. PLEASE NOTE WILBERT PETTY CORRECT TITLE IS DIRECTOR,
OFFICE OF EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY, ICA.

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